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Applicant: Eric SAMAIN et al.

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OLIGOPOLYSACCHARIDES

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This communication is responsive to the non-final office action dated October 1, 2004. Applicants enclose with this amendment a Petition for a Three-Month Extension of Time to make this response timely as of Tuesday, February 1, 2005.

Remarks begin on page 2 of this response.